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PATENT

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(ORIGINAL, DESIGN, NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT, SUPPLEMENTAL,  
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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#### INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

**NOTE:** *If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.*

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Stable cream preparations of phenyl-pyridone compounds for topical application

the specification of which: *(complete (a), (b) or (c))*

- (a) ☐ is attached hereto.
- (b) ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as  
☐ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ or  
☐ Express Mail No. \_\_\_\_\_, as Serial No. not yet known  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_. *(If applicable)*
- (c) ☒ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/ CH2003/000615  
filed on September 11, 2003 and as amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_. *(If any)*

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above, and that the filing of said specification, if heretofore filed, was authorized by me.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

**CLAIM OF PRIORITY OF EARLIER FOREIGN APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d)**

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

*(List prior foreign/PCT application(s) filed within 12 months (6 months for design) prior to this U.S. application.)*

**NOTE:** Where item (c) is entered above and the International Application which designated the U.S. claimed priority check item (e), enter the details below and make the priority claim.

COUNTRY (orPCT)	APPLICATION NO.	DATE OF FILING (Day/Month/Year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC §119
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

*(List prior U.S. provisional applications.)*

PROVISIONAL APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE (Day/Month/Year)

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in such prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

(List prior U.S. applications or PCT international applications designating the U.S. for benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120.)

**U.S. APPLICATIONS**

**STATUS** (Check One)

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**PCT APPLICATIONS DESIGNATING THE U.S.**

**STATUS** (Check One)

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PCT/ CH2003/000615	September 11, 2003		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**35 USC 119 PRIORITY CLAIM, IF ANY, FOR ABOVE LISTED U.S./PCT APPLICATIONS**

PRIORITY APPLICATION NO.	PRIORITY COUNTRY	FILING DATE (Day/Month/Year)	ISSUE DATE (Day/Month/Year)
1556/02	Switzerland	September 13, 2002	

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the attorney(s) and/or agent(s) at Customer Number 23869 to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Filing date

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Additional numbers

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☐ U.S. Provisional Application;  
☐ U.S. Patent; or  
☒ PCT Application  
By: ☒ Inventors or ☐ Present Owners

**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

ASSIGNORS: (inventor(s) or person(s) or entity(ies) who own the invention)

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and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE,

(complete one of the following)



the entire right, title and interest



an undivided \_\_\_\_\_ percent (\_\_\_\_%) interest

for the United States and its territorial possessions



and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority,

in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

**STABLE CREAM PREPARATIONS OF PHENYL-PYRIDONE COMPOUNDS FOR  
TOPICAL APPLICATION**

and which is found in

(check and complete (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), or (g))

(a)



U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith

(b)



U.S. patent application executed on \_\_\_\_\_

(c)



U.S. provisional application naming the above inventor(s) for the above-identified invention.

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To comply with 37 CFR 3.21 for recordal of this assignment, I, an ASSIGNOR signing below, hereby authorize and request my attorney to insert below the filing date and application number when they become known

(d)



U.S. application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_

(e)



International application No. PCT/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

(f)



U.S. Patent No. \_\_\_\_\_ issued \_\_\_\_\_

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- (g) ☐ and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority

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ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set hand and seal this

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Date: <u>X 11 Feb. 2005</u> Date of signing	<u>X</u> Max SCHEIWE
Date: <u>X 11 Feb. 2005</u> Date of signing	<u>X</u> Yalcin CETINKAYA
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